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SUBJ: EVIDENT DETENTION BY PL OF AUSTRALIAN JOURNALIST AND
UNIDENTIFIED AMERICAN

REF: VIENTIANE 7154

I MENTIONED TO SECSTATE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS TIANETHONE
CHANTHARASY TODAY THAT WE UNDERSTOOD THAT AN AUSTRALIAN
AND AN AMERICAN WERE IN THE HANDS OF THE PATHET LAO SOME-
WHERE NEAR THAKHEK AND THAT WE HAD BEEN IN TOUCH WITH THE
JOINT COMMISSION TO IMPLEMENT THE ACCORDS. TIANETHONE
SAID THAT THE AUSTRALIAN EMBASSY HAD NOT BEEN IN TOUCH
WITH THE MINISTRY IN REGARD TO THIS MATTER AND THAT
HE WOULD BRING IT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE JCCIA.
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